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Representative Simmons

H 1391 **GENERAL BILL by Simmons

Felony Traffic Cases; authorizes chief judge of circuit court to transfer all felony traffic & vessel cases to county courts in circuit; provides exceptions. Amends 26.012. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/03/01 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Judicial Oversight (SGC); YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -HJ 00475

04/04/01 HOUSE Now in Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC) -HJ 00475

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC)

H 1407 **GENERAL BILL by Kallinger; Trovillion; Meador; Simmons; Allen; Brummer; Gardiner; Johnson; Siplin; Feeney (Identical S 1304, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0093, CS/CS/3RD ENG/H 1053)

Toni Jennings Boulevard; designates portion of Semoran Boulevard in City of Orlando, Orange Co., as "Toni Jennings Boulevard"; directs DOT to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 1304 GENERAL BILL by Webster; (CO-SPONSORS) Latvala (Identical H 1407, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0093, CS/CS/3RD ENG/H 1053)

Toni Jennings Boulevard; designates portion of Semoran Boulevard in City of Orlando, Orange Co., as "Toni Jennings Boulevard"; directs DOT to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/05/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 04/10/01, 1:30 pm, 309-C --Not considered

04/12/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 04/17/01, 2:00 pm, 309-C --Not considered

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Transportation

H 0093 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Transportation (RIC); Harrington; (CO-SPONSORS) Henriquez; Bean; Wiles (Compare CS/CS/3RD ENG/H 1053, H 1407, S 0712, S 1304)

Road & Bridge Designations; redesignates old Nassau Sound Bridge in Nassau & Duval Counties as "George Crady Bridge"; designates portion of U.S. Highway 17 as "Doyle Parker Memorial Highway"; designates portion of State Road 77 as "Lynn Haven Parkway"; designates portion of Highway 41 in White Springs as "Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial Highway"; designates portion of Semoran Boulevard in City of Orlando, Orange Co., as "Toni Jennings Boulevard", etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00941; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00941

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H 0093 (Continued)

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 1053 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Council for Ready Infrastructure; Transportation (RIC); Russell; Slosberg; (CO-SPONSORS) Gelber; Murman (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0093, CS/H 0257, H 0321, H 0363, H 0417, H 0473, H 0557, 1ST ENG/H 0701, CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0807, H 1029, H 1059, 1ST ENG/H 1091, 1ST ENG/H 1099, 2ND ENG/H 1197, H 1407, H 1433, H 1905, 1ST ENG/H 1915, H 1929, CS/2ND ENG/S 0084, CS/S 0626, S 0712, CS/CS/CS/S 1068, S 1170, CS/S 1232, CS/1ST ENG/S 1268, S 1304, CS/S 1566, S 1630, S 1732, S 1746, CS/S 1776, CS/2ND ENG/S 1922, CS/2ND ENG/S 1956, CS/S 1976, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2008, S 2022, CS/CS/S 2056, S 2204)

Transportation; revises language re organization of DOT; exempts certain transportation projects for certain competitive bidding requirements; creates Safe Paths to Schools Program; provides that certain funds may be used for arterial highway construction whether or not certain contingencies are met; creates Fla. Airport Authority Act; provides motorized scooter operating regulations; provides traffic school reference guide requirements, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$1,300,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02593

06/04/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/14/01 Vetoed by Governor, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 84 (Ch. 2001-264), CS/SB 1922 (Ch. 2001-279), CS/SB 1956 (Ch. 2001-196)

H 1435 **GENERAL BILL by Simmons (Compare CS/CS/H 0273)

Campaign Financing; provides limitation on contributions to organizations engaging in campaign-related advertising; exempts contributions to political parties from such limitation; requires return of amounts received in excess of such limitation; provides finding of compelling state interest in imposing such limitation; provides penalties. Creates 106.081. Effective Date: Contingent.

03/19/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00183

03/26/01 HOUSE Referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC); Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Procedural & Redistricting Council -HJ 00347

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC)

H 0273 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Procedural & Redistricting Council; Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC); Ross; Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Mayfield; Brutus (Linked CS/H 0275, Similar H 1531, Compare H 0439, H 1435, S 0266, 1ST ENG/S 0308, S 1302, S 1982)

Election Code/Reporting Requirements; requires additional

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- H 0273 (Continued)
information for registration of political committees; requires additional information for certification of committees of continuous existence; revises reporting periods & requirements; requires electronic filing under certain circumstances; requires certain organizations that sponsor campaign-related advertisements to register under certain circumstances, etc. Amends Ch. 106, 105.08. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/19/01 SENATE Favorable by Ethics and Elections; YEAS 10
NAYS 0 -SJ 00447
04/20/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government -SJ 00447
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government
- H 1513 **GENERAL BILL by Simmons (Similar 1ST ENG/S 1428)
Insurance Competitions/Compensations; prohibits DMS or State Group Insurance Division from prohibiting or limiting competition for certain insurance products or plans on agent compensation arrangement basis. Amends 110.123, 287.022. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/27/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 01310
05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1428 (Ch. 2001-192) -HJ 01818
- S 1428 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) Clary; Mitchell (Similar H 1513)
Insurance Competition/Compensations; prohibits limitation by state on competition for insurance product or plan on basis of compensation arrangement used by insurer or organization. Amends 110.123, 287.022. Effective Date: 06/08/2001.
05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964
05/24/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/08/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-192
- H 1521 **GENERAL BILL by Simmons; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin
Teacher's Equity in Compensation; provides legislative intent re "Florida Teacher's Equity in Compensation Act of 2001"; requires Legislature to appropriate funds to increase salaries of instructional personnel to certain level. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/19/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00188

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03/26/01 HOUSE Referred to General Education (LLC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning -HJ 00348

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on General Education (LLC)

H 1529 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Simmons; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1932) Controlled Substances; authorizes creation of pilot program in Orange County to intercept illegal drug shipments through package delivery services; provides that person who willfully maintains place where such substances are unlawfully kept, sold, or delivered commits offense of keeping or maintaining public nuisance; adds drug products containing Gamma-hydroxybutyric acid (GHB) which are approved under Federal Food, Drug, & Cosmetic Act to Schedule III, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01081

05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1932 (Ch. 2001-57) -HJ 01819

S 1932 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; Laurent (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1529)

Drug Traffic Program/Orange Co.; authorizes creation of pilot program in Orange County to intercept illegal drug shipments through package delivery services; provides that person who willfully keeps or maintains or aids or abets another in keeping or maintaining certain types of places where controlled substances are unlawfully used, kept, sold, or delivered commits offense of keeping or maintaining public nuisance, etc. Amends Chs. 823, 877, 893. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/25/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-57

H 1599 **GENERAL BILL by Simmons; (CO-SPONSORS) Kottkamp (Compare S 1070) Motor Vehicle Insurance; revises definition of term "motor vehicle"; increases financial responsibility limits re bodily injury or death in single accident; requires proof of financial responsibility for bodily injury or death; increases limits for proof of financial responsibility for for-hire transportation vehicle certificates of self-insurance; revises required threshold

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Representative Simmons (Continued)

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limit for self-insurers, etc. Amends 324.021,.023,.031,.161,.171,
316.646, 627.733. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00313

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); Judicial Oversight
(SGC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00349

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC)

S 1070 GENERAL BILL by Campbell (Compare H 1599)

Motor Vehicle Insurance; modifies limits required for proof of
financial responsibility for bodily injury; prescribes methods of
providing financial responsibility for bodily injury or death;
provides criminal penalty for making false claims against insurance
policy issued under specified provisions; requires insurers to pay
bodily injury liability protection benefits for specified injuries,
etc. Amends Chs. 324, 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

02/23/01 SENATE Prefiled

03/07/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance;
Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Public
Safety and Judiciary; Appropriations -SJ 00120

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance

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- H 0067 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Slosberg; Prieguez; Clarke; (CO-SPONSORS) Cantens; Gottlieb; Gannon; Romeo; Weissman; Garcia; Meadows; Greenstein; Rich; Justice; McGriff; Machek; Bendross-Mindingall; Wishner; Henriquez; Paul; Allen; Seiler; Lerner; Betancourt; Ryan; Davis; Gibson; Wilson; Lee; Holloway; Bullard; Fields; Benson; Heyman; Farkas; Peterman; Kallinger; Trovillion; Gelber; Kravitz; Andrews; Diaz de la Portilla; Ausley; Sobel; Brutus; Littlefield; Ritter; Bean; Kottkamp; Ross; Berfield; Crow; Simmons; Cusack; Wiles; Jordan; Joyner; Russell (Compare CS/S 1288)
Florida Safety Belt Law; creates "Dori Slosberg Act of 2001"; deletes obsolete language; provides for all persons in motor vehicle to wear safety belt; revises said law to eliminate requirement that law be enforced as secondary action when driver of motor vehicle has been detained for another violation; provides restrictions on authority to search based on safety belt violation. Amends 316.614. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/11/01 HOUSE Favorable by Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC); YEAS 13 NAYS 2 -HJ 00549
04/17/01 HOUSE Now in Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00549
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities
- S 1288 GENERAL BILL/CS by Transportation; Carlton (Compare CS/H 0067)
Safety Belts; creates "Dori Slosberg Act of 2001"; revises provisions re safety belt usage; prohibits searches of vehicles or occupants because of safety belt violation. Amends 316.614. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/30/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs -SJ 00574; Placed on Calendar, on second reading
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar
- H 0353 **GENERAL BILL by Kallinger; (CO-SPONSORS) Brummer; Alexander; Clarke; Simmons (Identical S 0218)
Mortgage Guaranty Insurance; revises minimum surplus requirements for mortgage guaranty insurers; revises limits on total liability & exposure to losses for such insurers; requires mortgage guaranty insurers to include certain information in audited financial reports required pursuant to certain provision; authorizes Insurance Dept. to take certain actions against mortgage guaranty insurer that is not in compliance. Amends 624.408, 635.042. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/04/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 218 (Ch. 2001-37) -HJ 00462

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S 0218 GENERAL BILL by Horne (Identical H 0353)

Mortgage Guaranty Insurance; revises minimum surplus requirements for mortgage guaranty insurers; revises limits on total liability & exposure to losses for such insurers; requires mortgage guaranty insurers to include certain information in audited financial reports required pursuant to certain provision; authorizes Insurance Dept. to take certain actions against mortgage guaranty insurer that is not in compliance. Amends 624.408, 635.042.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/16/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00406

04/24/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

-SJ 00477

05/01/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-37

H 0489 **GENERAL BILL/3RD ENG by Johnson; Russell; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller; Harrell; Gibson; Ball; Diaz de la Portilla; Atwater; Romeo; Rich; Lerner; Mack; Kosmas; Fiorentino; Trovillion; Kilmer; Kendrick; Maygarden; Heyman; Sorensen; Brummer; Detert; Green; Crow; Lee; Kravitz; Simmons; Arza; Mayfield; Berfield; Allen; Bense; Hart; Goodlette; Kyle; Wiles; Davis; Cusack; Greenstein; Rubio; Littlefield; Joyner; Jennings; Mahon; Prieguez; Henriquez; Wishner; Wallace; Barreiro; Needelman; Pickens; Harrington; Fasano; Baker; Stansel; Jordan; Carassas; Kottkamp; Baxley; Kallinger; Mealor; Meadows; Brutus; Machek; Justice; Waters; Andrews; Bullard; Richardson; Wilson; Peterman; Bendross-Mindingall; Fields; Harper; Murman; Brown; Cantens; Clarke; Bucher; Gelber; Farkas; Paul; Spratt; Melvin; Lynn; Hogan; Slosberg (Similar CS/CS/S 1178, Compare H 0507, S 1134, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2008)

Florida High-Speed Rail Authority; creates said authority; provides membership, terms, organization, & reimbursement of expenses; provides duties of authority; assigns authority to DOT for administrative purposes; provides for future legislative review & repeal; authorizes authority to seek federal funds; provides applicable criteria; requires submittal of report; authorizes authority to request assistance from private sector, etc. Creates 341.821,.822. Appropriation: \$4,500,000. Effective Date: 06/01/2001.

05/03/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 01947

05/18/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/01/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-153

S 1178 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Transportation; Sebesta (Similar 3RD ENG/H 0489, Compare H 0507, S 1134, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2008)

Florida High-Speed Rail Authority; creates said authority; provides

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membership, terms, organization, & reimbursement of expenses; provides duties of authority; assigns authority to DOT for administrative purposes; provides for future legislative review & repeal; authorizes authority to seek federal funds; provides applicable criteria; requires submittal of report; authorizes authority to request assistance from private sector, etc. Creates 341.821,.822. Appropriation: \$8,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
05/01/01 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00726; House Bill substituted -SJ 00726; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 489 (Ch. 2001-153)
- H 0507 GENERAL BILL by Ross; Dockery; Ritter; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Flanagan; Barreiro; Murman; Siplin; Andrews; Alexander; Argenziano; Attkisson; Byrd; Diaz de la Portilla; Smith; Joyner; Farkas; Bean; Harper; Sobel; Weissman; Henriquez; Paul; Cusack; Bowen; Clarke (Similar S 1134, Compare 3RD ENG/H 0489, CS/CS/S 1178, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2008)
Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings, policy, purpose, & intent re development, financing, construction, & operation of intrastate high-speed rail transportation system in state; creates Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority; assigns authority to DOT for administrative purposes; requires authority to designate local areas of state to be served by intrastate high-speed rail transportation system, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/04/01 HOUSE Favorable by Transportation (RIC); YEAS 7 NAYS 6 -HJ 00505
04/05/01 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00505
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 489 (Ch. 2001-153)
- S 1134 GENERAL BILL by Laurent; (CO-SPONSORS) Pruitt; Rossin; Sullivan; Dawson; Holzendorf; Miller (Similar H 0507, Compare 3RD ENG/H 0489, CS/CS/S 1178, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2008)
Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings, policy, purpose, & intent re development, financing, construction, & operation of intrastate high-speed rail transportation system in state; creates Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority; assigns authority to DOT for administrative purposes; requires authority to designate local areas of state to be served by intrastate high-speed rail transportation system, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/09/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 03/14/01, 12:15 pm, 309-C --Temporarily postponed
03/16/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 03/21/01, 2:00 pm, 309-C --Temporarily postponed

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05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Transportation,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 489 (Ch.
2001-153)

S 2008 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Diaz de la Portilla; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf; Crist (Compare H 0105, 2ND ENG/H 0465, 3RD ENG/H 0489, H 0507, CS/CS/3RD ENG/H 1053, 1ST ENG/H 1215, 3RD ENG/H 1225, H 1467, H 1539, H 1735, H 1953, S 1134, CS/CS/S 1178, CS/1ST ENG/S 1640, CS/1ST ENG/S 1750, CS/S 1874, CS/S 1976, 1ST ENG/S 2004)

Economic Development; provides legislative intent for certain career & technical education programs within comprehensive programs of study in high schools; requires freight forwarders to provide warehouse receipts or copies of airway bills or bills of lading for certain purposes; creates "New Product Transfer Enhancement Act"; revises duties re Digital Media Education Coordination Group; creates Florida High-Speed Rail Authority, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$4,800,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 37 NAYS 0 -SJ 00949

05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 489 (Ch. 2001-153), HB 1225 (Ch. 2001-201)

H 0545 **GENERAL BILL by Carassas; (CO-SPONSORS) Berfield; Byrd; Needelman; Atwater; Negron; Bowen; Rubio; Paul; Bean; Kravitz; Benson; Mahon; Simmons; Baxley; Garcia; Kottkamp; Attkisson; Mayfield; Diaz de la Portilla; Justice (Similar 1ST ENG/S 1840)

David Levitt School Anti-Hunger Act; creates "David Levitt School Food Anti-Hunger Act of 2001"; requires school districts to donate unused food to programs that assist hungry families under certain circumstances; provides exceptions; authorizes DOE to adopt rules. Amends 228.195. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 1840 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Clary (Similar H 0545)

David Levitt School Anti-Hunger Act; creates "David Levitt School Food Anti-Hunger Act of 2001"; requires school districts to donate surplus or excess canned or perishable foods to food recovery or hunger assistance programs; provides exemptions; authorizes rules. Amends 228.195. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

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05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 0651 **GENERAL BILL by Bilirakis; Byrd; Murman; Ball; Cantens;
(CO-SPONSORS) Carassas; Barreiro; Diaz de la Portilla; Bowen;
Kilmer; Melvin; Bennett; Argenziano; Stansel; Brummer; Crow;
Pickens; Green; Littlefield; Miller; Hart; Bense; Kyle; Paul;
Goodlette; Needelman; Greenstein; Justice; Spratt; Frankel; Gelber;
Lerner; Bucher; Romeo; Gannon; Ryan; Sobel; Mahon; Henriquez;
Flanagan; Waters; Wiles; Meador; Haridopolos; Allen; Berfield;
Kendrick; Attkisson; Johnson; Peterman; Baxley; Detert; Negron;
Farkas; Simmons; Fiorentino; Kravitz; Wishner (Identical S 0234)
FRS/Special Risk/Prior Service; provides for repurchase of prior
service credit for certain members of Special Risk Class or Special
Risk Administrative Support Class of Florida Retirement System who
retired or terminated employment before July 1, 2000; provides for
actuarial funding of benefits; provides declaration of important
state interest. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/03/01 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by State
Administration (SGC); YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -HJ 00474
04/04/01 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00474
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources
(FRC)

S 0234 GENERAL BILL by Burt; (CO-SPONSORS) Latvala; Posey; Peadar;
Campbell; Holzendorf; Bronson; Pruitt; Smith; Crist; Diaz de la
Portilla; Lawson; Miller; Rossin; Wasserman Schultz; Mitchell;
Webster; Cowin; Sanderson; Dawson; Dyer; Sebesta; Constantine
(Identical H 0651)
FRS/Special Risk/Prior Service; provides for repurchase of prior
service credit for certain members of Special Risk Class or Special
Risk Administrative Support Class of Florida Retirement System who
retired or terminated employment before July 1, 2000; provides for
actuarial funding of benefits; provides declaration of important
state interest. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
01/12/01 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and
Productivity; Judiciary; Appropriations
Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations
03/06/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Governmental Oversight and
Productivity; Judiciary; Appropriations
Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations
-SJ 00022
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and
Productivity

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H 0809 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; Benson; Harrell; Ritter; Sobel; Slosberg; Farkas; Simmons; Negron; Romeo; Prieguez; Melvin; Kallinger; Ross; Clarke; Bucher; Cusack; Littlefield; Joyner; Diaz de la Portilla; Brown (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867)

Health Insurers & HMOs; prohibits health insurers from requiring certain contracted health care practitioners to accept terms of other health care contracts as condition of continuation or renewal; provides exceptions; applies such prohibition to group health insurance, blanket health insurance, & franchise health insurance; applies such prohibition to health maintenance organizations. Creates 627.6474; amends 627.662, 641.315. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/25/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107) -HJ 00687

S 0836 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Crist; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Wasserman Schultz; Dawson; Campbell; Saunders; Geller (Similar CS/CS/H 0809, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867)

Health Insurers & HMOs; prohibits health insurers from requiring certain contracted health care practitioners to accept terms of other health care contracts as condition of continuation or renewal; provides exceptions; applies such prohibition to group health insurance, blanket health insurance, & franchise health insurance; applies such prohibition to health maintenance organizations. Creates 627.6474; amends 627.662, 641.315. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/01/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00792

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-107

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants;

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allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1005 **GENERAL BILL by Paul; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Brown; Rubio; Meador; Kottkamp; Miller; Kyle; Melvin; Simmons; Bennett; Bowen; Allen; Ross; Harrell; Greenstein; Carassas; Littlefield; Hogan; Attkisson; Diaz de la Portilla; Clarke; Green; Mack; Baker; Pickens; Machek; Negron; Meadows; Bullard; Trovillion; Goodlette (Identical S 1790)

Water Supply 2020; establishes "Water Supply 2020" study commission; requires submission of reports with recommendations to Governor & Legislature; provides for technical advisory committees; provides for reimbursement of expenses of commission & committee members; provides for executive director & staff for commission; provides for assistance & cooperation of state agencies; provides for termination of commission, etc. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/07/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00135

03/12/01 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Environmental Protection (RIC); State Administration (SGC); General Government Appropriations (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure -HJ 00193

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Natural Resources & Environmental Protection (RIC)

S 1790 GENERAL BILL by Laurent (Identical H 1005)

Water Supply 2020; establishes "Water Supply 2020" study commission; requires submission of reports with recommendations to Governor & Legislature; provides for technical advisory committees; provides for reimbursement of expenses of commission & committee

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

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members; provides for executive director & staff for commission; provides for assistance & cooperation of state agencies; provides for termination of commission, etc. Appropriation: \$250,000.

Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/06/01 SENATE Filed

03/16/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Natural Resources;
Governmental Oversight and Productivity;
Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government;
Appropriations -SJ 00171

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Natural Resources

H 1039 **GENERAL BILL by Paul; (CO-SPONSORS) Bense; Miller; Rubio; Mealor; Kottkamp; Clarke; Mahon; Pickens; Atwater; Melvin; Brown; Simmons; Baxley; Benson; Needelman; Carassas; Bennett; Bowen; Garcia; Allen; Ross; Negron; Harrell; Siplin; Greenstein; Littlefield; Hogan; Attkisson; Haridopolos; Jordan; Kallinger; Green; Harrington; Bilirakis; Mack; Byrd; Diaz-Balart; Gibson; Baker; Cantens; Gardiner; Brutus; Machek; Meadows; Bullard; Trovillion; Davis; Sorensen; Brummer (Identical S 1032)

Ad Val/Disabled Ex-Service Members; increases amount of exemption provided under certain provision of State Constitution for certain disabled ex-service members. Amends 196.24. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

04/30/01 SENATE In Messages

05/01/01 SENATE Received, referred to Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Finance and Taxation
-SJ 00788

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

S 1032 GENERAL BILL by Pruitt; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders; Laurent; Clary; Campbell (Identical H 1039)

Ad Val/Disabled Ex-Service Members; increases amount of exemption provided under certain provision of State Constitution for certain disabled ex-service members. Amends 196.24. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

03/13/01 SENATE Favorable by Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 2 -SJ 00148

03/14/01 SENATE Now in Finance and Taxation -SJ 00148

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Finance and Taxation

H 1145 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Child & Family Security (HCC); Murman; Rich;

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Representative Simmons (Continued)

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Lynn; (CO-SPONSORS) Flanagan; Hogan; Jordan; Bean; Benson; Negron; Russell; Hart; Green; Ross; Brown; Paul; Simmons; Kravitz; Garcia; Detert; Mahon; Berfield; Baxley; Kallinger; Mealor; Attkisson; Bullard; Fiorentino; Cusack; Farkas (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1214) Foster Care/Residential Care; modifies authority for lead agencies to provide services; amends provision re disposition hearings providing that certain children must be placed in licensed residential care & must remain there unless court determines that it is not in child's best interest; provides additional requirement for eligible lead community-based providers; allows family foster home license to be valid for extended period in specified circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1214 (Ch. 2001-68)
-HJ 00860

S 1214 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Children and Families; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/H 1145) Foster Care; requires CFS Dept. recommend visitation schedule; provides that certain children must be assessed for placement & placed in licensed residential group care; redefines term "related services"; provides for comprehensive residential services to children who have extraordinary needs; provides for compliance with uniform fire safety standards; authorizes dept. to conduct criminal records checks, etc. Amends Chs. 20, 39, 409, 435, 784. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 00937
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-68

H 1485 *GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Kravitz; (CO-SPONSORS) Arza; Flanagan; Fiorentino; Clarke; Melvin; Kilmer; Simmons; Cantens; Byrd; Murman; Lynn; Brown; Paul; Garcia; Diaz-Balart; Rich; Peterman; Baker; Bean; Stansel; Benson; Hogan; Allen; Ross; Argenziano; Bense (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0025, S 2038) Sexual Offenders Release Supervision; prohibits sexual offenders subject to conditional release supervision from living within specified distance of certain places where children congregate; prohibits persons convicted of certain sex crimes from residing within 1,000 feet of school, day care center, park, or playground. Amends Ch. 794, 947.1405. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 01082; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01082
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 0025 (Continued)

H 0025 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Crow; Fiorentino; (CO-SPONSORS) Weissman; Cantens; Lynn; Greenstein; Kravitz; Heyman; Spratt; Allen; Slosberg; Littlefield; Sobel (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1485, CS/2ND ENG/S 0444, S 2038)

Offenses Against Children; revises provisions to prohibit certain previously convicted offenders from intentionally luring or enticing, or attempting to lure or entice, child under age 15 into structure, dwelling, or conveyance without consent of parent or legal guardian, or from intentionally luring or enticing, or attempting to lure or entice child away from child's parent or legal guardian, etc. Amends 787.025, 800.04, 947.1405; creates 794.07,.0701. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01377

05/02/01 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 01825

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 2038 GENERAL BILL by Crist (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0025, 1ST ENG/H 1485)

Sexual Offenders Release Supervision; prohibits sexual offenders subject to conditional release supervision from living within specified distance of certain places where children congregate. Amends 947.1405. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

03/06/01 SENATE Filed

03/21/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Criminal Justice;
Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs;
Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and
Judiciary; Appropriations -SJ 00207

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Criminal Justice

H 1689 **GENERAL BILL by Atwater; Arza; (CO-SPONSORS) Davis; Bense; Holloway; Bullard; Jennings; Diaz-Balart; Detert; Mack; Hart; Miller; Mahon; Russell; Gardiner; Ritter; Wishner; Richardson; Green; Flanagan; Fiorentino; Andrews; Bowen; Pickens; Kilmer; Gibson; Murman; Haridopolos; Bennett; Greenstein; Henriquez; Weissman; Ausley; Seiler; Negron; Farkas; Attkisson; Needelman; Siplin; Paul; Rubio; Clarke; Kottkamp; Diaz de la Portilla; Kallinger; Gelber; Kyle; Melvin; Ryan; Simmons; Garcia; Kravitz; Meadows; Brutus; Rich (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1684, Compare H 0543, S 0458)

Teacher Recruitment; creates Transition to Teaching Program; encourages participation by postsecondary education institutions & organizations that represent eligible employees or employ eligible applicants; provides for grant proposals & applications; requires evaluation; authorizes certain activities & places limitations on expenditures; provides for repayment of certain stipends. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 1689 *(Continued)

04/10/01 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by General Education (LLC); YEAS 8 NAYS 0 -HJ 00516

04/12/01 HOUSE Now in Education Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00516

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Education Appropriations (FRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1684 (Ch. 2001-219)

S 1684 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Klein; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Similar H 1689, Compare H 0543, S 0458)

Transition to Teaching Program; creates said program; provides for grant proposals & applications; requires evaluation; authorizes certain activities & places limitations on expenditures; provides for repayment of certain stipends. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01501

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-219

H 0543 GENERAL BILL by Wilson; (CO-SPONSORS) Gannon (Identical S 0458, Compare H 1689, CS/1ST ENG/S 1684)

Transition to Teaching Pilot Program; creates said program with intent of addressing need of high-poverty school districts for teachers; provides for award of stipends; requires program participant to serve in high-poverty school district for 3 years; requires Education Commissioner to establish requirements to ensure that eligible program participants fulfill their service obligation or repay any stipend or financial incentive received; provides for program evaluation, etc. Appropriation: \$13,500,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

02/23/01 HOUSE Referred to Education Innovation (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

03/06/01 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Education Innovation (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning -HJ 00048

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Education Innovation (LLC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1684 (Ch. 2001-219)

S 0458 GENERAL BILL by Miller (Identical H 0543, Compare H 1689, CS/1ST ENG/S 1684)

Transition to Teaching Pilot Program; creates said program with intent of addressing need of high-poverty school districts for teachers; provides for award of stipends; requires program participant to serve in high-poverty school district for 3 years; requires Education Commissioner to establish requirements to ensure that eligible program participants fulfill their service obligation or repay any stipend or financial incentive received; provides for program evaluation, etc. Appropriation: \$13,500,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/24/01 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; YEAS 5 NAYS 0

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

S 0458 (Continued)

04/24/01 SENATE -SJ 00543

04/26/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations -SJ 00543

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1684
(Ch. 2001-219)

H 1803 **GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Brown; Berfield; Kallinger; McGriff; Clarke; Simmons; Sobel; Ross; Negron; Fields; Wiles; Murman (Similar CS/S 1926, Compare H 0227, H 1025, H 1515, H 1775, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1140, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, S 1728, CS/S 2080, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; requires judge of compensation claims to consider interests of worker & worker's family when approving settlements of workers' compensation claims; requires appropriate recovery of any child support arrearage from such settlements; excludes certain sports officials from definition of "employee"; excludes certain work done by state prisoners & county inmates from definition of "employment", etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02557
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/30/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-91; See also CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)

S 1926 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; King (Similar CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, Compare H 0227, H 1025, H 1515, H 1775, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1140, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, S 1728, CS/S 2080, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; redefines term "specified state employee" to include Deputy Chief Judge of Compensation Claims; requires certain insurers to provide medically necessary remedial treatment, care, & attendance under certain circumstances; excludes child support & alimony claims from general exemption of workers' compensation benefits from claims of creditors; requires nominees for judges of comp. claims to meet additional experience requirements, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/01 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00844; House Bill substituted -SJ 00897; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803
(Ch. 2001-91); See also CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)

H 0227 GENERAL BILL by Henriquez (Identical S 1728, Compare CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1926)
Workers' Comp./Sports Officials; excludes certain sports officials

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

- H 0227 (Continued)
from definition of "employee". Amends 440.02. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/06/01 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); General Education (LLC); Council for Competitive Commerce
02/21/01 HOUSE Withdrawn from Insurance (CCC); General Education (LLC); Council for Competitive Commerce; Withdrawn prior to introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91) -HJ 00027
- H 1025 GENERAL BILL by Holloway (Similar CS/S 1140, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1655, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1926, CS/CS/S 2224)
Self-Insurers; transfers operation of provisions requiring securing of payment of compensation by employers from Workers' Compensation Div. of LES Dept. to Fla. Self-Insurer's Guaranty Association, Incorporated, & DOI; provides for allocation or payment of state funds to association for certain purposes; transfers powers & duties of LES Dept. re association to DOI & revises such powers & duties, etc. Amends 440.38, .385, .386. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
03/07/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00136
03/12/01 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); General Government Appropriations (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00194
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- H 1515 GENERAL BILL by McGriff; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; Wiles (Linked H 1517, Similar CS/S 2080, Compare H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1926, CS/S 2082, S 2266)
Insurance; revises time periods for notice for bringing certain actions; authorizes DOI to adopt rules; proscribes conflict of interest activities of licensee-affiliated parties under certain circumstances; clarifies application of time of payment requirements to self-insurance funds; revises HMO annual reporting requirements; provides for risk-based capital for HMOs; requires HMOs to file certain comprehensive business plans, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
03/19/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00188
03/26/01 HOUSE Referred to State Administration (SGC); Insurance (CCC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00348
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- H 1775 GENERAL BILL by Melvin (Similar S 2266, Compare H 1515, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, CS/S 2080)
Workers' Compensation; specifies nonapplication of workers' compensation exemption from creditors' claims to child support; provides for substantial revision of election of exemption

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

- H 1775 (Continued)
provisions; provides limitation on certain hourly rates for family member under certain circumstances; revises provisions re Employee Assistance & Ombudsman Office; provides criteria for satisfaction of employer's obligation to pay compensation, etc. Amends Chs. 61, 112, 440, 627. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
03/23/01 HOUSE Filed
03/28/01 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Insurance (CCC); State Administration (SGC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00394
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- H 1869 GENERAL BILL by Judicial Oversight (SGC); Crow (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, Compare CS/CS/H 0167, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0248, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Child Support Enforcement; deletes reference to child support & provides reference to support; includes spousal support or alimony for former spouse of obligor if child support is being enforced by DOR among list of items which must be paid prior to award of certain prizes; provides requirements for judges of compensation claims re settlement of lump-sum payment; revises language re scientific testing to determine paternity, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158), CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- H 1927 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Ross; Melvin; Fields; Clarke; Brown; Simmons; Negron; Kallinger; Sobel; Lee (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1655, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; requires certain entities actively engaged in construction industry to secure payment of compensation under Workers' Compensation law, after certain date; provides for consideration of public employer workplace safety program in rate-setting; provides additional criterion for determining certain value of nonprofessional attendant care provided by family member, etc. Amends Ch. 440, 627.0915. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 2 -SJ 01283
05/04/01 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- S 1140 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Villalobos (Similar H 1025, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1655, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1926,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

- S 1140 (Continued)
CS/CS/S 2224)
Self-Insurers; transfers operation of provisions requiring securing of payment of compensation by employers from Workers' Compensation Division of LES Dept. to Fla. Self-Insurer's Guaranty Association, Incorporated, & DOI; provides for allocation or payment of state funds to association for certain purposes; transfers powers & duties of LES Dept. re association to DOI & revises such powers & duties, etc. Amends 440.38,.385,.386,.24. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
04/09/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/11/01 -SJ 00335
04/11/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government -SJ 00328
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- S 1188 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Banking and Insurance (Linked S 1958, Compare H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Insurance/Workers' Compensation; revises exemptions from requirement for employers to obtain workers' compensation coverage; specifies value of nonprofessional attendant care provided by family member that is reimbursable; revises procedures for resolving benefit disputes & filing petitions for benefits; repeals provision which creates Workers' Compensation Oversight Board; eliminates requirement that Chief Judge select judges to rotate as docketing judges, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.
05/03/01 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00951; House Bill substituted -SJ 01168; Laid on Table, refer to CS/HB 1927 (Died in House Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- S 1284 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Children and Families; Peaden (Similar H 1869, Compare CS/CS/H 0167, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0248, CS/S 1188, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Child Support Enforcement; deletes reference to child support & provides reference to support; includes spousal support or alimony for former spouse of obligor if child support is being enforced by DOR among list of items that must be paid prior to award of certain prizes; provides for retroactive increase or decrease in support, maintenance, or alimony; creates pilot program for administrative establishment of child-support obligations, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 06/05/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
05/21/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/05/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-158; See also CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- S 1728 GENERAL BILL by Rossin (Identical H 0227, Compare CS/3RD

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

- S 1728 (Continued)
ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1926)
Workers' Comp./Sports Officials; excludes certain sports officials from definition of "employee". Amends 440.02. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/06/01 SENATE Filed
03/16/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary -SJ 00167
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- S 2080 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Carlton (Linked CS/S 2082, Similar H 1515, Compare H 1517, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, 2ND ENG/S 1220, S 1906, CS/S 1926, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, S 2266)
Insurance; authorizes DOI to adopt rules re required filings; provides for alternative methods of service of process; requires certain foreign insurers to comply with certain provisions; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance; provides legislative intent for use of risk-based capital reports & other related documents, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/11/01 SENATE Now in Health, Aging and Long-Term Care -SJ 00328
04/18/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, 04/23/01, 3:30 pm, 110-S --Temporarily postponed
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- S 2266 GENERAL BILL by Peadar (Similar H 1775, Compare H 1515, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, CS/S 2080)
Workers' Compensation; provides that workers' compensation benefits are not exempt from child-support claims; provides that workers' compensation benefits & settlements count as income under child-support guidelines; revises liability for compensation; provides maximum amounts that family member may receive for nonprofessional attendant care; prescribes elements of compensable injury eligible for permanent total benefits, etc. Amends Chs. 61, 440, 627. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
03/06/01 SENATE Filed
04/11/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00330
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

S 2266 (Continued)

05/04/01 SENATE (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)

H 1805 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown; Negron; Wiles; Simmons; Fields; Sobel; Ross; Clarke; Melvin; McGriff; Berfield; Kallinger; Lee; Murman (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1466)
Public Records/Motor Vehicle Crashes; provides exemption from public-records requirements for motor vehicle crash reports that reveal specified information; provides that such reports may be made available to certain parties; provides for future review & repeal; provides penalties for unlawful disclosure of confidential information & for unlawfully obtaining or attempting to obtain confidential information; provides findings of public necessity. Amends 316.066. Effective Date: 06/05/2001.

05/03/01 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01972

05/21/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/05/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-163

S 1466 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1805)
Public Records/Motor Vehicle Crashes; provides exemption from public-records requirements for motor vehicle crash reports that reveal specified information; provides that such reports may be made available to certain parties; provides for future review & repeal; provides penalties for unlawful disclosure of confidential information & for unlawfully obtaining or attempting to obtain confidential information; provides findings of public necessity. Amends 316.066. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00867

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00987; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1805 (Ch. 2001-163)

H 1819 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown; Negron; Wiles; Simmons; McGriff; Melvin; Berfield; Kallinger; Lee; Fields; Ross; Sobel; Wishner; Farkas (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910)
Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 1819 *(Continued)

Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01378

05/02/01 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 01821

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; Banking and Insurance; Campbell; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist; Garcia (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910)
Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 06/19/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-271; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0159 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Rubio; Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Harrell; Barreiro; Prieguez; Waters; Diaz-Balart; Cusack; Lerner; Diaz de la Portilla; Slosberg; Sobel; Murman (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, CS/CS/S 1960)
Health Maintenance Organizations; provides licensure requirement for physician who renders adverse determination re services provided by another state-licensed physician; eliminates authority of certain out-of-state physicians to render such determinations; provides additional experience requirements & limitation for out-of-state groups; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 641. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) failed -HJ 01305

05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173); See also CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01821

H 1567 GENERAL BILL by Lacasa (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/S 1910)

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 1567 (Continued)

Medical Practice; limits to certain medical licensees ownership or operation of medical practice settings or diagnostic facilities; provides exemptions; requires certain medical practice settings or diagnostic facilities not owned by such licensees to employ medical director; provides for adoption of rules; provides responsibilities for medical directors of such facilities; provides penalties, etc. Creates 458.35. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00348

03/30/01 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Health Regulation (HCC), 04/03/01, 8:00 am, Morris Hall --Temporarily deferred

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271)

H 1867

GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Representative Simmons (Continued)

- H 1867 (Continued)
05/04/01 SENATE 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)
Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872
- S 1464 GENERAL BILL by Sanderson (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092)
Motor Vehicle Insurance; provides legislative findings re Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; extends civil immunity to law enforcement officials for providing information about suspected acts of insurance fraud; specifies medical expenses that are payable under personal injury protection benefits; limits amount charged by providers for specified treatments & procedures for injuries covered by personal injury protection, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 817, 626.989, 324.021. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/16/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00153
03/21/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Banking and Insurance, 03/26/01, 3:00 pm, 110-S --Temporarily postponed
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271)
- S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Simmons (Continued)

S 1558 (Continued)

Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1910 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Garcia (Compare H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Medical Practice/Clinics; defines term "clinic"; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; provides for medical directors; provides for enforcement; provides penalties. Creates 456.0375. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/10/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/12/01 -SJ 00362

04/12/01 SENATE Now in Criminal Justice -SJ 00356

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Criminal Justice, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

Representative Simmons (Continued)

- H 1927 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Ross; Melvin; Fields; Clarke; Brown; Simmons; Negron; Kallinger; Sobel; Lee (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1655, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; requires certain entities actively engaged in construction industry to secure payment of compensation under Workers' Compensation law, after certain date; provides for consideration of public employer workplace safety program in rate-setting; provides additional criterion for determining certain value of nonprofessional attendant care provided by family member, etc. Amends Ch. 440, 627.0915. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.
 05/04/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 2 -SJ 01283
 05/04/01 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- H 1655 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Clarke (Similar CS/CS/S 2224, Compare H 1025, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/3RD ENG/S 0466, CS/S 1140, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1970)
Workplace Regulation; transfers Workers' Compensation Division from LES Dept. to Insurance Dept.; transfers various functions, powers, duties, personnel, & assets re workers' compensation to DOE, AHCA, & Insurance Dept.; provides for certain employees of Division to be given hiring priority by DOI; provides pay & employment guidelines for such employees; creates Workers' Compensation Division in DOI, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 05/04/01 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 34 NAYS 2 -SJ 01752
 05/04/01 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 466 (Ch. 2001-43)
- H 1775 GENERAL BILL by Melvin (Similar S 2266, Compare H 1515, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, CS/S 2080)
Workers' Compensation; specifies nonapplication of workers' compensation exemption from creditors' claims to child support; provides for substantial revision of election of exemption provisions; provides limitation on certain hourly rates for family member under certain circumstances; revises provisions re Employee Assistance & Ombudsman Office; provides criteria for satisfaction of employer's obligation to pay compensation, etc. Amends Chs. 61, 112, 440, 627. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
 03/23/01 HOUSE Filed
 03/28/01 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Insurance (CCC); State Administration (SGC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00394
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Representative Simmons (Continued)

- H 1775 (Continued)
05/04/01 HOUSE (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- H 1803 GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Brown; Berfield; Kallinger; McGriff; Clarke; Simmons; Sobel; Ross; Negron; Fields; Wiles; Murman (Similar CS/S 1926, Compare H 0227, H 1025, H 1515, H 1775, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1140, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, S 1728, CS/S 2080, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; requires judge of compensation claims to consider interests of worker & worker's family when approving settlements of workers' compensation claims; requires appropriate recovery of any child support arrearage from such settlements; excludes certain sports officials from definition of "employee"; excludes certain work done by state prisoners & county inmates from definition of "employment", etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02557
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/30/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-91; See also CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- S 1188 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Banking and Insurance (Linked S 1958, Compare H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Insurance/Workers' Compensation; revises exemptions from requirement for employers to obtain workers' compensation coverage; specifies value of nonprofessional attendant care provided by family member that is reimbursable; revises procedures for resolving benefit disputes & filing petitions for benefits; repeals provision which creates Workers' Compensation Oversight Board; eliminates requirement that Chief Judge select judges to rotate as docketing judges, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.
05/03/01 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00951; House Bill substituted -SJ 01168; Laid on Table, refer to CS/HB 1927 (Died in House Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- S 1284 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Children and Families; Peaden (Similar H 1869, Compare CS/CS/H 0167, H 1775, CS/3RD ENG/H 1803, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0248, CS/S 1188, CS/S 1926, S 2266)
Child Support Enforcement; deletes reference to child support & provides reference to support; includes spousal support or alimony for former spouse of obligor if child support is being enforced by DOR among list of items that must be paid prior to award of certain prizes; provides for retroactive increase or decrease in support, maintenance, or alimony; creates pilot program for administrative establishment of child-support obligations, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 06/05/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Representative Simmons (Continued)

- S 1284 (Continued)
05/21/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/05/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-158; See
also CS/HB 1803 (Ch. 2001-91)
- S 1926 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; King (Similar CS/3RD
ENG/H 1803, Compare H 0227, H 1025, H 1515, H 1775, H 1869, CS/2ND
ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1140, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND ENG/S 1284, S 1728,
CS/S 2080, S 2266)
Workers' Compensation; redefines term "specified state employee" to
include Deputy Chief Judge of Compensation Claims; requires certain
insurers to provide medically necessary remedial treatment, care, &
attendance under certain circumstances; excludes child support &
alimony claims from general exemption of workers' compensation
benefits from claims of creditors; requires nominees for judges of
comp. claims to meet additional experience requirements, etc.
Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise
provided.
05/02/01 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00844; House Bill
substituted -SJ 00897; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803
(Ch. 2001-91); See also CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- S 2266 GENERAL BILL by Peadar (Similar H 1775, Compare H 1515, CS/3RD
ENG/H 1803, H 1869, CS/2ND ENG/H 1927, CS/S 1188, CS/2ND
ENG/S 1284, CS/S 1926, CS/S 2080)
Workers' Compensation; provides that workers' compensation benefits
are not exempt from child-support claims; provides that workers'
compensation benefits & settlements count as income under
child-support guidelines; revises liability for compensation;
provides maximum amounts that family member may receive for
nonprofessional attendant care; prescribes elements of compensable
injury eligible for permanent total benefits, etc. Amends Chs. 61,
440, 627. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
03/06/01 SENATE Filed
04/11/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance;
Governmental Oversight and Productivity;
Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government;
Appropriations -SJ 00330
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1803
(Ch. 2001-91), CS/SB 1284 (Ch. 2001-158)
- H 9005 **RESOLUTION by Flanagan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Allen; Andrews;
Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Baker; Ball;
Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bendross-Mindingall; Bennett; Bense;
Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer;

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Representative Simmons (Continued)

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Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Davis; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Frankel; Gannon; Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Haridopolos; Harper; Harrell; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Heyman; Hogan; Holloway; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Joyner; Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Kyle; Lacasa; Lee; Lerner; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Melvin; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Paul; Peterman; Pickens; Prieguez; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wishner; Miller
Saint Patrick's Day/March 17, 2001; joins with Irish American Caucus & all Floridians of good heart on Saint Patrick's Day, March 17, 2001, in celebrating continuing contribution of Irish Americans, their spirit, & their dreams for peace & brotherhood.
03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00309; Read second time -HJ 00309;
Adopted -HJ 00309

H 9007 **RESOLUTION by Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Allen; Andrews; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Baker; Ball; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bendross-Mindingall; Bense; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Davis; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Gannon; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Haridopolos; Harrell; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Heyman; Hogan; Holloway; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Joyner; Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Kyle; Lacasa; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Miller; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Paul; Peterman; Pickens; Prieguez; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wishner; Lee; Garcia
Melvin, Representative Jerry G.; recognizes Representative Jerry G. Melvin, of Fort Walton Beach, for his long & distinguished service to people of this state & are honored to confer upon him title of "Dean of the Florida House of Representatives" for 2000-2002 biennium & extends to him heartiest congratulations on his achievement of this milestone.
03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00324
03/30/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00385; Adopted -HJ 00386

Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 9017 **RESOLUTION by Andrews; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Allen; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Baker; Ball; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bendross-Mindingall; Bennett; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Davis; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Farkas; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Gannon; Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Haridopolos; Harper; Harrell; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Heyman; Hogan; Holloway; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Joyner; Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Kyle; Lacasa; Lee; Lerner; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Melvin; Miller; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Peterman; Pickens; Prieguez; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wishner; Fasano (Similar S 2078)

Kalfas, Chris J.; recognizes & commemorates lifetime accomplishments of Chris J. Kalfas.

03/22/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00333; Read second time -HJ 00333;

Adopted; See also SR 2078 (Adopted) -HJ 00333

S 2078 RESOLUTION by King (Similar H 9017)

Kalfas, Chris J.; recognizes & commemorates lifetime accomplishments of Chris J. Kalfas.

03/22/01 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00216; Read second time -SJ 00216;

Adopted; See also HR 9017 (Adopted) -SJ 00216

H 9033 **RESOLUTION by Hart; (CO-SPONSORS) Bense; Allen; Andrews; Argenziano; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Baker; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bendross-Mindingall; Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Davis; Detert; Diaz-Balart; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Haridopolos; Harper; Harrell; Henriquez; Heyman; Holloway; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Melvin; Miller; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Paul; Peterman; Pickens; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wilson; Joyner; Dockery; Harrington; Slosberg; Kyle
Space Day in Florida/April 2, 2001; designates April 2, 2001, as

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Representative Simmons (Continued)

H 9033 *(Continued)

"Space Day in Florida" in recognition of space community's contributions to Florida.

04/02/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00418; Read second time -HJ 00419; Adopted -HJ 00419

H 9069 **RESOLUTION by Richardson; (CO-SPONSORS) Kendrick; Meadows; Ausley; Bendross-Mindingall; Cusack; Joyner; Smith; Peterman; Siplin; Holloway; Bullard; Lee; Brutus; Jennings; Alexander; Allen; Andrews; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Baker; Ball; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bennett; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Bucher; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Davis; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Gannon; Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Haridopolos; Harper; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Heyman; Hogan; Johnson; Jordan; Justice; Kallinger; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Kyle; Lacasa; Lerner; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meador; Melvin; Miller; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Paul; Prieguez; Rich; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Slosberg; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wilson; Wishner (Similar S 2250)
Humphries, Dr. Frederick S.; honors Dr. Humphries, President of Fla. Agricultural & Mechanical Univ., upon his impending retirement on June 30, 2001, & acknowledges & expresses its sincerest gratitude for remarkable accomplishments of his impressive career.
04/24/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00555; Read second time -HJ 00578; Adopted; See also SR 2250 (Adopted) -HJ 00579

S 2250 RESOLUTION by Holzendorf; (CO-SPONSORS) Lawson; Dawson; Jones; Miller; Peadar; Bronson; Mitchell; Rossin; Meek (Similar H 9069)
Humphries, Dr. Frederick S.; commends Dr. Humphries for his many achievements & his dedicated service as eighth president of Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University.
04/19/01 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00408; Read second time -SJ 00409; Adopted; See also HR 9069 (Adopted) -SJ 00409

H 9073 **RESOLUTION by Peterman; (CO-SPONSORS) Joyner; Wilson; Harper; Smith; Cusack; Meadows; Richardson; Siplin; Jennings; Holloway; Bullard; Bendross-Mindingall; Brutus; Fields; Justice; Kendrick;

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04/25/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00672; Read second time -HJ 00672;

Adopted; See also SR 2372 (Adopted) -HJ 00672

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RESOLUTION by Holzendorf; (CO-SPONSORS) Lawson; Dawson; Miller; Jones; Meek; Bronson; Brown-Waite; Burt; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Diaz de la Portilla; Dyer; Garcia; Geller; Horne; King; Klein; Latvala; Laurent; Lee; McKay; Mitchell; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Rossin; Sanderson; Saunders; Sebesta; Silver; Smith; Sullivan; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster (Similar H 9073)

Jamerson, Douglas Lee; expresses regret at death of Douglas Lee "Tim" Jamerson, former State Representative, Commissioner of Education, & Secretary of Labor & Employment Security.

04/25/01 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00453; Read second time -SJ 00454;

Adopted; See also HR 9073 (Adopted) -SJ 00454